



Opioid Operational Command Center Operational Period Summary

Operational Period	Start	Monday, June 12, 2017 at 1200 hours
	End	Monday, June 26, 2017 at 1159 hours

Operational Period Objectives and Tasks

1. Objective: Implement OOCC strategic statewide planning and response efforts

Tasks:

Task	Deadline	Responsible Entity	Status
Develop draft OOCC Plan narrative, highlighting OOCC initiatives with a corresponding 1-year work plan, spend plan, and local template	6/26	Planning Section	In Progress
Develop OOCC reporting template, frequency and process to support state and local situational awareness regarding efforts at the state.	6/26	Planning Section	In Progress
Develop OOCC SOE reporting update for legislative leadership	6/26	Planning Section	In Progress
Collect and analyze results of OIT status report	6/26	Planning Section	Complete
Develop OIT status report performance tracking measures	6/26	Planning Section	Complete
Share results of OIT status report with local and State stakeholders	6/26	Planning Section	In Progress

2. Objective: Develop OOCC budget and spend plan to support OOCC operations.

Tasks:

Task	Deadline	Responsible Entity	Status
Compile SUD and heroin/opioid inventory items and related financial data received from agencies.	6/26	Finance/Admin	In Progress
Approve FY 2018 Spend Plan	6/26	Finance/Admin	In Progress
Compile personnel tracker submissions and provide to OOCC Command and General Staff	6/26	Finance/Admin	In Progress
Confirm a mechanism for distribution of OOCC funds to the local	6/12	Finance/Admin	In Progress



Opioid Intervention Teams (OITs).			
Coordinate the development of guidance, protocol, and schedule for implementing a grant-based program to support the local Opioid Intervention Teams (OITs).	6/26	Finance/Admin	In Progress
Share inventory of heroin/opioid programs listed in the Inter-Agency Heroin and Opioid Coordinating Council's February 2016 Report with the OCCC Resources Section	6/26	Finance/Admin	In Progress
Continue to assess bulk purchasing order contract for opioid antagonist measures	6/26	Finance/Admin	In Progress

3. Objective: Implement transition strategy that shifts the OCCC from crisis management to project management phase.

Tasks:

Task	Deadline	Responsible Entity	Status
Identify OCCC-specific objectives and tasks to guide the transition from the crisis management phase to a more sustainable project management model	6/26	Planning Section	In Progress
Discuss staffing plan to align with the transition objectives and tasks	6/26	Planning Section	In Progress
Finalize the year-1 project management work plan and structure with clear roles for State and local agencies	6/26	Planning Section	In Progress
Begin development of five-year project management work plan and structure with clear roles for state and local agencies corresponding to OCCC strategy	6/26	Planning Section	No Progress

4. Objective: Standardize care across all 49 acute care hospital emergency departments for patients who present with an overdose.

Tasks:

Task	Deadline	Responsible Entity	Status
Plan the process for developing an ED standard protocol based on best practices for patients who present with an overdose	6/26	Health and Medical	In Progress
Create a briefing document outlining hiring barriers for peer-recovery specialists, incorporating job description activities, for local health departments	6/26	Health and Medical	In Progress
Evaluate streamlining the hiring process for Peer Recovery Support Specialists by local health departments, including assessment of DBM classification and job descriptions (sent to BHA for review and input)	6/26	Health and Medical	In Progress

5. Objective: Track and report on overdose related statistics on an ongoing basis**Tasks:**

Task	Deadline	Responsible Entity	Status
Coordinate creation of standing automated report format of eMEDS confidential health information to DHMH and then to local health departments	6/26	Planning-Data Unit	In Progress
Convene second meeting for data sharing coordination purposes to populate a Maryland Opioid Addiction Indicators dashboard for initial demonstration	6/21	Planning-Data Unit	Complete
Support logistical coordination of data collection to populate a Maryland Opioid Addiction Indicators dashboard for initial demonstration	6/26	Planning-Data Unit	In Progress
Receive Maryland Opioid Addiction Indicators data dashboard demo from ESRGC	6/16	Planning-Data Unit	In Progress
Render legal opinion on the use of OD Map	6/26	Legal	In Progress
Draft overdose-related monthly reporting template to support state and local situational awareness and response efforts [e.g. number of nonfatal ED visits, fatal overdose rates, narcan distribution]	6/26	Health and Medical	In Progress
Conduct non-fatal opioid overdose analysis stratified by type of drug and explore feasibility of including drug stratification in existing reports (e.g. PHPSA report)	6/26	Health and Medical	In Progress
Complete 6-month naloxone administration eMEDS data analysis (MIEMSS to DHMH; 10/16 - 3/17)	6/26	Health and Medical	In Progress

6. Objective: Implement OOCC Communications Strategy**Tasks:**

Task	Deadline	Responsible Entity	Status
Launch OOCC internal SharePoint website	6/26	JIS/Communications	In Progress
Schedule a series of information sessions with media outlets where each agency can share work regarding heroin and opioid-related initiative (e.g. WBAL and MPTV).	6/26	JIS/Communications	In Progress
Develop a press release and provide template to state and local partners	6/26	JIS/Communications	In Progress
Create OOCC letterhead template	6/26	JIS/Communications	In Progress

Create series of videos for health professionals and educators on the “Before it’s too late” website	6/26	JIS/Communications	In Progress
Develop communications plan for internal and external stakeholders	6/26	JIS/Communications	In Progress

7. Objective: Facilitate operational coordination among state agencies and local partners working on heroin and opioid-related initiatives

Tasks:

Task	Deadline	Responsible Entity	Status
Convene a meeting between DHMH and MSDE regarding the School Naloxone Administration Policy Development Frequently Asked Questions to outline updates regarding recently passed legislation.	6/26	Health and Medical/Education	In Progress
Convene a conference call with partners to discuss strategy for the upcoming Academic Deans meeting (Mid-July).	6/26	Health and Medical/Education	Complete
Review summary report to determine out of the 24 school jurisdictions across Maryland how many provide at least 5 assemblies each year supporting the dangers associated with the Opioid Crisis. Ten of twenty-four have met this criteria.	6/26	Education	Complete
Schedule OOCC WebEX presentations including but not limited to legislative updates, crisis hotline and education	6/26	Planning Unit	Complete
Identify jurisdiction points of contacts for each of the identified promising practices	6/26	OOCC Local Liaison Branch	In Progress
Contact local points of contact to gather information on identified promising practices and write up a short profile for each practice	6/26	OOCC Intern & Extern to be assigned	In Progress
Publish and share promising practices profiles with local jurisdictions and other partners as appropriate	6/26	Communications	In Progress

8. Objective: Reduce inappropriate or unnecessary opioid prescribing through education and awareness activities

Tasks:

Task	Deadline	Responsible Entity	Status
Continue to engage healthcare providers in opportunities for continuing education around appropriate opioid and Naloxone prescribing and dispensing.	6/26	Health and Medical	In Progress



Package the materials used for the DHMH Townhall and video from the Townhall for state agency partners to use to engage their employees	6/26	Health and Medical	In Progress
Conduct an educational webinar for hospital providers describing new requirements (PDMP, Medicaid updates) going into effect July 1, 2017.	6/26	Health and Medical	In Progress

9. Objective: Identify detention center gaps and challenges in the provision of opioid treatment services, identify promising practices in Maryland, and work to close gaps.

Tasks:

Task	Deadline	Responsible Entity	Status
Analyze results of survey on intake/assessment, treatment/testing and release/re-entry that was sent out to detention services. Currently 17 out of 23 have responded.	6/26	Public Safety	In Progress
Schedule presentation by Clay and Corey Pack at upcoming MCAA Meeting (TBD)	6/26	Public Safety	In Progress

Additional Occurrences

- On 6/13/2017 - GEMAC Meeting
- On 6/14/2017 - Medicaid presented at the Local Health Officer’s Roundtable re: opioid prescribing guidelines taking effect 7/1/2017
- On 6/16/2017 - Data Dashboard demonstration to OCCC Leadership
- On 6/20/2017 - Quarterly Inter-agency Council Meeting
- On 6/22/2017 - Spend Plan Meeting with Lieutenant Governor